

109TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. 2797

To provide competitive status to certain Federal employees in the State  
of Alaska.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 12, 2006

Ms. MURKOWSKI introduced the following bill; which was read twice and  
referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

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## A BILL

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in the State of Alaska.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Thomas P. O’Hara  
5       Public Land Career Opportunity Act of 2006”.

6       **SEC. 2. COMPETITIVE STATUS FOR CERTAIN FEDERAL EM-**  
7       **PLOYEES IN THE STATE OF ALASKA.**

8       Section 1308 of the Alaska National Interest Lands  
9       Conservation Act (16 U.S.C. 3198) is amended—

1           (1) by redesignating subsections (c) and (d) as  
2       subsections (d) and (e), respectively; and

3           (2) by inserting after subsection (b) the fol-  
4       lowing:

5       “(c) COMPETITIVE STATUS.—An individual ap-  
6       pointed to a permanent position under subsection (a) shall  
7       be converted to competitive status after—

8           “(1) if the appointment is full time, the comple-  
9       tion of 2 years of competitive and satisfactory full  
10      time service; or

11          “(2) if the appointment is less than full time,  
12      the period that is equivalent to 2 years of competi-  
13      tive and satisfactory full time service.”.

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